

TRANSMITTAL FORM

(for all correspondence after initial filing)

Total number of pages in this submission =

Application # 09/700,185
 Confirmation # 2588
 Filing Date December 18, 2000
 First Inventor ARAKI
 Art Unit 1745
 Examiner Ruthkosky
 Docket # P06971US00/BAS

ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)

- ☒ Fees calculated below
 Amendment/Reply
 including Attachment(s)
 **After Final** Amendment/Reply
 including Attachment(s)
☒ Extension of Time Petition
- Response to Missing Parts/Incomplete Appl.
 Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
 Information Disclosure Statement
 Drawing(s)
 Terminal Disclaimer
☒ Brief on Appeal w/Attachments

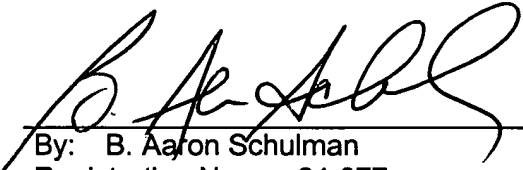
FEES CALCULATION: For claims if required and/or other fees as shown below:

| | NOW | Previously Paid For | Present Extra | Rate | \$ |
|---|-----|---------------------|---------------|-----------|-------------------|
| TOTAL CLAIMS | | | | X \$ 18 = | |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | | | | X \$ 86 = | |
| TOTAL OF ABOVE CLAIMS FEES = | | | | | |
| Reduction by 1/2 for small entity status of applicant | | | | | |
| SUBTOTAL = | | | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fee for extension of time (per attached Petition) | | | | | 2010.00 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other fee for Brief on Appeal | | | | | 330.00 |
| TOTAL OF ALL FEES = | | | | | \$2,340.00 |

☒ A CREDIT CARD PAYMENT FORM (PTO-2038) in the amount of \$ 2,340.00 is enclosed. If no payment or an insufficient payment is enclosed and a fee is due in connection herewith, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee or additional fee due in connection herewith to Deposit Account No. 12-0555.

☒ In the event that a petition for extension of time is required to be submitted herewith and that a separate petition is not submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.136(a) for an extension of time of as many months as are required to render this submission timely. Any fee is authorized above.

Date: 15 July 2004

By: 
 Registration No.: 31,877

STITES & HARBISON PLLC ♦ 1199 North Fairfax St. ♦ Suite 900 ♦ Alexandria, VA 22314
 TEL: 703-739-4900 ♦ FAX: 703-739-9577